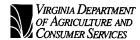


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Virginia Broilers



Cooperating with:



Week Ending: August 30, 2008 Number: 35 Released: September 3, 2008

Virginia Placements Down 14 Percent From A Year Ago

Virginia placements are estimated at **4,525,000** chicks. This was **down 19 percent** from the previous week and **down 14 percent** from last year. There were **6,249,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was **down 1 percent** from the previous week and **down 1 percent** from last year.

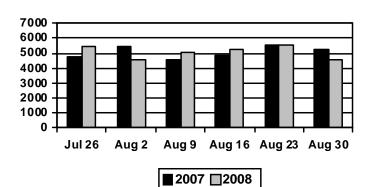
19 State Placements Down 4 Percent From Last Year

In the 19 states, **169,718,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were **down 1 percent** from the previous week and **down 4 percent** from last year. Eggs set during the week ending August 30 totaled **205,417,000**. This was **down 1 percent** from the previous week and **down 5 percent** from last year.

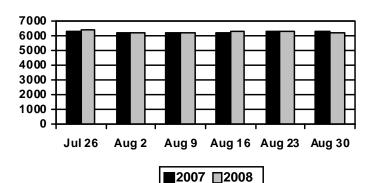
Virginia Broiler Totals

Chicks Placed					Eggs Set				
Week Ending		2007	2008	% of Yr. Earlier	Week Ending		2007	2008	% of Yr. Earlier
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July	26	4,722	5,449	115	July	26	6,313	6,388	101
August	2	5,412	4,557	84	August	2	6,242	6,250	100
	9	4,585	5,080	111		9	6,249	6,250	100
	16	4,825	5,283	109		16	6,245	6,325	101
	23	5,566	5,592	100		23	6,349	6,313	99
	30	5,269	4,525	86		30	6,290	6,249	99

Chicks Placed



Eggs Set



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	:		Week	Ending		
State	:					
	: Jul 26	: Aug 2	: Aug 9	: Aug 16	: Aug 23	: Aug 30
	: 2008	: 2008	: 2008	: 2008	: 2008	: 2008
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	:					
AL	: 30,737		29,855		29,694	
AR	: 25,591	25,143	*25,107			
DE	: 3,653	3,657	3,644		3,543	
FL	: 1,231	1,281	*1,326			1,326
GA	: 33,274	32,840	*33,473			32,905
KY	: 7,968 : 3,621	7,927 3,470	*7,723	7,790	7,741 3,501	7,339
LA MD	: 8,919	8,900	3,470 8,811	3,470 8,871	8,738	3,478 8,696
MS	: 18,560	18,561	18,598		18,428	17,853
NC	: 19,294	18,810	*18,890		18,856	19,021
OK	: 6,855	7,063	*6,477		*7,076	7,117
PA	: 4,492		*4,028		*3,850	4,255
SC	: 5,494		5,309		5,735	5,844
TX	: 14,993		15,034			
VA	: 6,388	6,250	6,250		6,313	6,249
CA, MO, TN, & WV	: 18,894	19,198	*18,951			18,248
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19 State Total	: 209,964	207,138	*206,946	*206,588	*206,716	205,417
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Previous Year Total	: 217,989	216,255	217,312	216,594	215,662	215,502
Pct. of Prev. Year	· : 96	96	95	95	96	95
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